#### Social and Personal

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Cameron, No. 519 East Franklin Street, filled with the fragrance of La France roses and massed with palms and malfeenhair ferns, glowing with the soft light from chandellers and candelabra, was thronged last evening with the beauty and the fragrance of Richmond, the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Cameron to Miss Elizabeth Cameron, of Paris, France, being one of the most elegant of the midwinter season.

From a palm screen in the hall an orchestra played airs that served as an undertone to the gay interchange of conversation as callers passed in and out. In the dinling room a great basket of plink roses in the center of the table was encircled, with pink shaded candles in silver candelabra. Miss Bertha Atkinson and Miss Jula Harris presided at the punch bowl.

Mr. and Mrs. Cameron received their guests with Miss Elizabeth Cameron, and Misses Mary Jean and Flora Cameron. Mrs. Cameron was extremely handsome in a gown of pink brocade satin, trimmed with bands of sable and panels of duchesse lace. Her jowels were diamonds. Miss Elizabeth Cameron wore a Parisian robe of black lace over white satin, with peauls.

Miss Mary Cameron had on white net embroidered in sequins above white silk. Miss Jean and Miss Flora were in white chiffon, accordion-plaited and hand ombroidered.

Delicious refreshments were served.

At the Colonial Ball.

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A letter received from a Virginia who attended the \*\*donial, ball given January 18th in Washington, D. C., says:
"It gives me pleasure to inclose you a brief note in regard to two of the most attractive costumes worn at the ball by two representative Virginia women, Mrs. Rosalle H. Bocock and Miss Anne Faunteroy, thinking that it may be of interest to your many readers, these indies being of prominent colonial descent. Mrs. Bocock, personating her great-greatgrandmother, was in a gergeous gown of cream brocade, with old chuntilly lace, grandmother, was in a gorgeous gown of cream brocade with old chantilly lace, grandmother, was in a gorgeous gown of cream brocade with old chantilly lace, a jeweled necklace nearly two centuries old, and long drop ear-rings. Her hair was arranged in colonial fashion, and was held in place by a high tortoise shell comb. Mrs. Bocock was escorted by Captain Brown, of the 'Minute Men.' "Miss Fauntleroy wore a pink satin brocaded in silver, which belonged to one of her ancestresses more than a century. With her powdered hair, her laces and her fan, she might have stepped down as the original of a colonial portrait. She was with Lieutenant Myers, of the 'Minute Men.'"

The first mentioned of these ladies is a niese of Hon. Join Randolph Tucker, and has a number of relatives in Richmond. Major Holmes Conrad, of Winchester, is Miss Fauntleroy's uncle.

J. H. M. A. Silver Tea.

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The "silver ten," given by the Junior Hollywood Memorial Association in Lee Camp Hall, from 5 to 7 P. M. to-day was a great success.

Guesta were received by Miss Eliza-Mrs. Stephen Beveridge, Miss. Isoline Moses, Mrs. George Lyons, Miss Mary Amelia Smith, Mrs. Walter Christian, Miss Minnle Baughman and Aliss Anna

Boykin.

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The hall was beautifully decorated in red carnations, red roses and holly. In the center of the table was a large vase holding a shower of carnations. Broad bands of red ribbon depending from the chandelier, were caught at the corner of the table with clusters of holly.

Chocolate, delicious home-made cake, salted almonds, red and white mints and ices were served by charming young

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### POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for the refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.-Charles Eliot Norton,

### To Althea From Prison. By RICHARD LOVELACE.



HEN Love with unconfin-ed wings
Hovers within my gates,
And my divine Althea brings
To whisper at the grates;
When I lie tangled in her hair
And fetter'd to her eye,
The birds that wanton in the air
Know no such liberty.

When flowing cups run swiftly round When flowing cups run switty round With no allaying Thames, Our careless heads with roses crown'd, Our hearts with loyal flames; When thirsty grief in wine we steep, When healths and draughts, go free—Fishes that tipple in the deep Know no such liberty.

When, linnet-like confin-ed, l With shriller throat shall sing The sweetness, mercy, majesty
And glories of my King;
When I shall voice aloud kow good He is, how great should be, Enlarged winds, that curl the flood, Know no such liberty.

Stone walls do not a prison make,
Nor iron bars a cago;
Minds innocent and quict take
That for an hermitage:
If I have freedom in my love
And in my soul am free,
Angels nione, that sour above,
Enjoy such liberty.



adles. The occasion was most enjoy-

The president of the Richmond Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, has received a letter from Madame B. de Marsy, president of the International Ladies' Club, founded eight years ago in Paris, France, which is worded as follows:

"The International Ladies' Club extends a cordial invitation to the Daughters of the Confederacy to call on them at their club rooms when visiting Paris."

That this invitation will be highly appreciated, goes without saying.

The Kate Wheelock Whist Club had a very pleasant meeting at No. 924 Park Avenue, last afternoon. Mrs. Edmund Waddill and Mrs. D. T. Williams scored east and west; MIss Mary Waddill and Mrs, Irvin Watkins nerth and south.

The club will meet next Wednesday at 4:30 P. M., with Mrs. Charles E. Wingo, No. 902 Park Avenue.

Avery-Walthall. The marriago of Miss Mary Howard Walthall, the daughter of Mr. Howard Walthall, to Mr. John W. Avery, financial editor of the Morning News, Savannah, Ga., will take place January 27th, in the home of Miss Walthall's uncle, Mr. Richard Elmore, of No. 1907 Hanver, Street

Mrs. Thomas S. Atkins has issued in-Mrs. Thomas S. Atkins has issued in-vitations for the marriage of her daugh-ter, Florence Stanley, to Mr. George Mc-Gregor Goodridge, the wedding to take place Thursday evening, February 4th, at 6 o'clock, in Monumental Church, this

"Miss Satan" This Evening. The final touches of preparation will be given at the full dress rehearsal this morning for the presentation of "MESS Satan" in the Academy this evening.

The debutantes are quite resolved to look their prettiest; the Blues and the University boys will certainly do their part, and society in the boxes and house will complete the success of the most

will complete the success of the most fashionable theatrical episode of the

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will meet Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. All members are urged to attend, as there will be busi-

Personal Mention. Mrs. II. S. Saunders, of "Upper Shirley on the James." entertained her cousin, Mrs. W. C. Wilcox, of Bon Air, on Thesday last at luncheon. Among the invited guests were Mrs. John Dayton and Sister, Miss Essaic Ried, of Fortsmouth; Mrs. Bransford, Mrs. Drewry, Misses Carter, Mrs. Thomas Harrison and others.

Mrs. James II. McInerny, wife of one of New York's most prominent physicians, is here on a visit to Mrs. Ann Evans, at Captain Pizzint's residence.

Mrs. Mary Miller, of Williamsport, Pa., who stopped over in Richmond with Dr. and Mrs. George Cooper, leaves for Flor-ida to-day to spend several months.

Miss Frances Alexander Swann has left the city for a visit to relatives in Balti-more.

Miss Alma Elam, of Suffolk, is the guest of her sister, Mrs, Charles M, Boswell, at No. 215 East Franklin Street.

Mr.land Mrs. George A. Minor, of Bar-ton Heights, who have been sick, are im-

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Cohen, of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Abrams, of No. 714 East Clay Street.

Alsa Minule Cohen, of Philadelphia, is visiting Miss Sadle Abrams, of No. 714 East Clay Street.

#### MAY HAVE HALL.

Shockoe Council to Consider This Subject To-night.

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Shockee Council of Royal Areanum, will hold one of the most important sessions in its history to-night. Twonty-five candidates will be initiated and a number of important subjects will come up for action that were deferred from the last meeting. The degree team will present the new initiation ceremony and it will be tried upon the new candidates.

The report of the special committee on erection of a Royal Areanum building in this city will come up for discussion. This question is attracting much attention among members of the various councils and at the last meeting of Shockee, a committee was appointed to look into the matter. It has been reported that the present Beth Ahaba Synagone could be purchased at a very reasonable figure and with a few alterations it would make an ideal hall and one of the largest in the State. A committee from Shockee will be appointed to confer with committees from the other six councils to look into the advisability of crecting a hall.

The members who have not yet secured

hall.
The members who have not yet secured their tickets for the rally at the Academy on Monday night can get them to-night at the meeting of the council.

#### Celebrate Twenty-first Anniver-

sary. SATY.

Henrico Council of Royal Arcanum will celebrate its twenty-first anniversary tonight at Nelsen Hall, in Fulton. The officers of the council will be publicly installed by Grand Regent F. T. McFaden, assisted by the grand officers. A splendid musical programme has been arranged and the public is invited. The council will hold a business session at 7 o'clock and the doors will be thrown open to the public at 8 o'clock.

Give Leap Year Party. The Ladica' Auxiliary to the Main Street Station Railroad Department, Young Mee's Christian Association, will give a loap year party to-night at 8 o'clock.

ock. fine musical and literary programme been arranged. Railroad men and Mrs. James H. McInerny, wife of one of New York's most prominent physicals, is here on a visit to Mrs. Ann Evans, at Captain Pizzin's residence.

Mrs. Dallas Flannagan and children are visiting Mrs. Flannagan's parents, sing. Men only are invited.

## TO COMPILE WAR DATA

Mr. Jennings Offers Bill, in the House Looking to Publication of Rolls.

BY DANIEL AND CHRISTIAN

List of the Companies Whose Rolls Are Now in State Library-Creates Office.

Hon. Tipton D. Jennings, of Lynchburg, yesterday offered in the House a bill prepared by Senator Daniel and Judge George S. Christian, providing for the office of "Secretary of Virginia Military Records," at a salary of \$6,000, and appropriating \$1,800 for the traveling expenses of the new officer, whose duty it shall be to compile and publish complete records of the Confederate and

The bill will be pressed vigorously, and

will likely pass.

Judge Christian had foreshadowed the offering of the bill in a speech at Lee Camp the other night, but he was inadvertently made to say that the Daniel advertently made to say that the Danies bill would be offered in the Federal Congress instead of the Virginia Legislature.

Governor Montague will leave to-day for Washington, where he will meet ex-Governor A. B. Candler, of Georgia, and B. F. Dixon, Auditor of North Carolina, who represent their respective States in the matter of the compliation of the muster rolls of Confederate soldiers. In company with Governor Montague, they will confer with the proper authorities will confer with the proper authorities

ALREADY COMPILED.

Along with the bill, Senator Daniel sub-mits the following information as to the Confederate rolls now in the State Li-

utenant-Colonel H. M. Beckley-Muster Capitain Wm. II. Dempsey's company; E. Regiment, Virginia State Hise, from mber 31, 1862, to April 1, 1893; 74 officers men.

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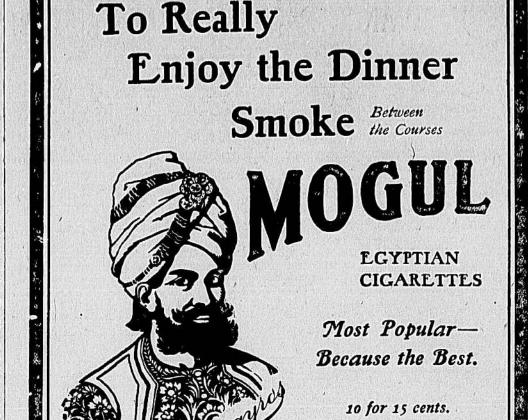
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# THE CRUSADE ON GAMBLING

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DEFALCATION AND MURDER

One Following Close After the Other Aroused the Public and the Police.

Two thrilling incidents in the early spring of 1902 caused the real crusade on the gambling places.

It was about that time that a trusted young employe of a well known business house down town went wrong. His employer, who had the utmost confidence in him, was at home sick. The young man had charge of the finances of the concern and the bank book.

He had been leading a pretty wild life, and the temptation was too strong. While the proprietor was sick at home, the young fellow went to the bad, by reason of raised checks and gambling, and when the inevitable discovery came, he acknow-ledged that he had lost the money he had taken at the gaming table.

All this came out at the trial. The gamblers became frightened and "hauled in their signs." The amount of the de-

fulcation was made up by the gamblers,

but the young man went over the hill for a year.

The second incident was the killing of a man, after a row in a gambling place, somewhere near the corner of Seventh and Broad Streets. AROUSED THE PUBLIC.

These two cases aroused the public.

Efforts had been made by them at intervals to get access to the suspected places and to "get something on" the men believed to be engaged in the gambling business. The efforts were fruitless.
The two incidents referred to, how-

ever started the Chief into strenuous ac-tivity. He consulted the Commonwealth's Attorney and then a plan was devised which it was believed would result in which it was believed would result in clearing the city of gamblers. The Chief called his captains together

in secret conference late one afternoon, in secret conference late one afternoon, and teh campaign was set on foot. It was arranged that on that very night, a swoop was to be made on the suspected places. Trusted men from each district were detailed, and at a given time they were to run down upon the various

were to run down upon the various places.

No one knew of this plan up to that very moment. The chief and the captain cautioned the men. From outward appearances it looked like a winner. Promptly as planned the men went out the campaign of extermination. The men in the First and Third Districts caught some of the game, but in the Second, like old Mother Hubbard's cupboard, everything was bare.

Suspected houses were visited, but in not a single case was a vestige of gambling paraphernalia found. All was dark and bare. It was a water haul in the Second.

the Second.
The First and Third District officers reported eleven houses, each one of which was broken up.
The Second District gamblers had "caught on," when the case of the young embezzler and the murder case came out, and had closed up shops, after moving their stuff away.

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Ing their stuff away.

GOT EVIDENCE.

All this caused public talk and comment, and in the midst of fi, Policeman Wyatt said he could find the paraphernalia, and get evidence sufficient to convict the gamblers.

The chief gave him plenty of lee way and instructions. He got contributions from prominent clitzens to help work up the evidence. It is secured the assistance of one or two young men, around town, who had been in the gambling places, when they were in full blast, and he got a long list of witnesses.

Then the warrants against the gamblers were drawn up in the chief's office, and were sworn to by Mr. Wyatt.

The list of witnesses, which included the names of a number of prominent citizens, was kept back.

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not be impenched. That settled it.
In order to save the witnesses and to keep their names from the public, the gumblers agreed to plead guilty. They were fined and given one day in jall.
Thus was gambling put at an end in Richmond.
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Then Mr. Wyatt set about gathering in the paraphernalia. This had been scattered all over the city, and was brought to light by officers from the various districts, and burned in front of the City Hall. The largest "lay-out" was that taken by Captain Angle and his men from the gambling house on lower Franklin Street.

It is not believed that there is now a gambling house in operation in the city.

Mr. Wendling to Lecture Here.

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The fifth entertainment of the association course for this season will be given in the central Young Men's Christian Association Hall Monday, January 25th, at 850 R. M. by the Hon. George R. Wendling, who was so warmly received here is winter. Mr. Wendling will give his aw, timely and brilliant lecture on "The Imperial Book." He is without doubt at the head of the list of popular lecturers, and his new lecture is considered his best, the list internations are apt, beautiful and brilliant. The lectures are full of thrilling eloquence and lofty thought. "The Imperial Book" is a fit theme for the lyceum platform.

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